Foss Fine Meats recalls Brown N Serve breakfast links due to allergens

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MADISON – Foss Fine Meats, located in Sparta, Wisconsin, is voluntarily recalling its Brown N Serve breakfast links, the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) announced today. The products contain soy that is not listed in the ingredient statement on the label.

Soy can cause serious reactions in people with an allergy or severe sensitivity. No illnesses have been reported from consuming this product. The product is safe to consume by those who do not have an allergy or intolerance to soy.

The breakfast links are sold either frozen or fresh in vacuum sealed one pound packages containing 16 links. Retail packages bear the mark of inspection, which includes the state of Wisconsin containing the words "WIS. DEPT. AGR. INSPECTED 58."

All products were sold at the company's retail store in Sparta and were purchased by consumers on or before April 6, 2015. Consumers who have any of these products may return them to Foss Fine Meats, or discard them. Consumers and media with questions about this recall can contact store owner Mark Wells at 608-269-6456. This is a Class II recall which means that the product could cause temporary or medically reversible adverse health consequences or that the probability of serious adverse health consequences is remote.

Symptoms of a food allergy may include swelling, itching or irritation of the mouth, nose, throat, eyes and skin; difficulty breathing; cramps, nausea or vomiting; diarrhea; or anaphylaxis. While most people do not have food allergies, anyone who eats a specific food and experiences symptoms should consult a doctor.

For more information on other food product recalls or food allergens, contact the Division of Food Safety at 608-224-4700, by e-mail at datcpfood@wisconsin.gov; or online at datcp.wi.gov.

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